

Dumitru Dumitrescu (1949–2016)

Our colleague, friend, editor of Acta Universitatis Sapientiae, Informatica, professor Dumitru Dumitrescu passed away after a long illness on October 14, 2016. He was 67.

Professor Dumitrescu obtained his MSc degree in Theoretical Physics in 1972, MSc degree in Mathematics in 1979, then PhD in Mathematics in 1990 from Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj, where he worked until his death as professor in Informatics.

Among his research interests in Artificial Intelligence we can mention: fuzzy systems and fuzzy logic, neural networks, fuzzy clustering and pattern recognition, evolutionary computation, intelligent control, non-standard logics and their application in AI, cognitive sciences, biologically inspired systems.

In the last part of his life he worked on Complex Systems at CONEURAL (Centre for Cognitive and Neural Studies), Romanian Institute of Science and Technology, Cluj-Napoca.

With a terrible feeling of pain and loss, we say goodbye to our friend. We shall treasure his memory.

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